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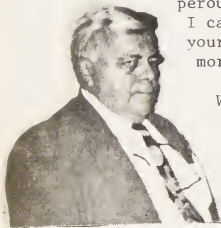
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Bobbie Vaughan

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Bob Ruby

EL PRESIDENTE MESSAGE



Best wishes for a healthy, happy and prosperous 1993. This is an election year and I can not succeed myself. Please avail yourself of this opportunity to become more active in the operation of M.S.N.A.

We have finalized the MSNA Coin Show & Convention: it will be held the weekend before the A N A; at the Towson State University's Towson Center.

We agreed, with the ANA, not to have the same committee chairpersons for both shows. We will need some new blood to work on the MSNA Show and

Convention. We should have another bang up show this year.

One piece of good news; we are in good enough shape financially that there is no need to consider an increase in dues this year.

MSNA is the best bargain in the hobby; please help keep it that way. We need new members to offset the normal losses. We need YN's and we need female members so sign up your children; your grandchildren and your spouse.

Again; thanks for your support and let's make 1993 th best year yet.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, reading "John Debeck Ryan". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large, stylized "J" and "R".

The 1993 Convention of the Middle Atlantic Numismatic Association (MANA) will be held at the Frederick Meeting House at the Day's Inn, Frederick, Maryland. The Day's Inn is located off Exit 31a of Rt I-270 or Exit 54 of I-70. Bob Ruby will be the General Chairman and Frank Katen will hold an auction. Hours will be: Noon to 7:00 pm on Friday Aug 20: 10:00 am to 7:00 pm on Saturday 21st and 11:00 am to 4:00 pm on Sunday Aug 22.

OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

SALISBURY COIN CLUB: For the past few months there has been some confusion on the current status of the club. Now, courtesy of Mike Volz, Vice President, contact has been re-established. The club's post office box, 3414, has been re-acquired and we can now send material to them again. A correction on their show date; it will be held on 14 February (not the 21st) and will be held at the corner of Glen (not Blen and Civic Aves. This will be their 29th annual show. The hours will be 10:00 a m 59 5:00 p.m.; there will be 25 tables and admission is free.

Fifty one people attended their annual Christmas Party held on 1 Dec. at the Salisbury V F W Post #194. For a change of pace their entertainment consisted of fifteen games of bingo and the winners received mint sets, proof sets, B. U. silver eagles, \$2 red seal bills, S.B.A. \$1's, Eisenhower \$1's and franklins.

The officers for the club for 1993 will be:

Wayne Bransby - President
Mike Volz - Vice President
George Pletka - Secretary
Karen Lemon - Treasurer
Lynn Benson -

Membership Chairman

The club has 82 paid up members and meets the 4th Tuesday of each month (except December).

CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB's club publication "Coin Chatter" is one I always enjoy receiving. Editor Millard Hajek always tells what the club is doing, what it did and what it is planning to do. The club meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 8:00 pm, Emanuel United Methodist Church, 6517 Frederick Road. Elections for 1993 were held at their October meeting and the results are as follows:

President - Greg Ruby
VP/Treasurer-Joseph Fiedler
Secretary - Millard Hajek
Bulletin Editor-Millard Hajek
Members of the Board of
Governors;

Bryce Doxzon

John Hammond

Steven Maltese

Joe Steffens (past pres)

Twenty one members and guests attended their annual dinner meeting on November 11th at the Beltway Resturant on Washington Blvd. They were a bit startled at the beginning as the restaurant had "double booked" the room. Alternate arrangements were made for them & they received a glass of wine (free) each, for their trouble.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COIN CLUB meets the 1st Tuesday of each month at the James E. Duckworth Special Center, 11201 Evans Trail, Beltsville At their November 10 meeting Mae Clarke and Edith Hintz spoke on the ANS/Smithsonian Seminar held on the 9th.

OUR MEMBER CLUBS -Continued

MARYLAND TAMS held their second annual swap meet at the Emanuel United Methodist Church, on 26 September. Pete Burris was nominated for MANA Numismatist of the year and received the Alex Kaptik presentation.

Members of the BALTIMORE COIN CLUB enjoyed their annual Christmas Party under the chairmanship of Pete Burris and Carol Pryor. Carol came up with some new ideas to liven up the event.

PERRY HALL, MIDDLE RIVER COIN CLUBS And HARFORD COIN HUSKERS, enjoyed their annual Associated Christmas Party. Attendance by Santa, Music by the one man band and a catered buffet line, followed by raffles for silver rounds and flowers made an enjoyable afternoon for all.

Carl Ostiguy, from the APL Coin Club, currently has a shop at the Antique Center III at the "Historic Savage Mill".

We have been informed that Stanley Brown, Member #215, from Elkton, died on 29 July. Stan, whose interests were in the field of wooden money, was a regular visitor at all major shows and never failed to attend one of our M S N A conventions until his health failed.

JIM KELLER, Member #206, who was also Treasurer of MSNA at one time died on 25 November. Jim was also a long time mem-

ber of the Baltimore Coin Club.

We have also been advised of the loss of another of our members. Mr. Edward Hanna, #609, from Frederick, apparently died in November of 1991.



WELCOME TO MEMBERSHIP

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| 655 | David Roernberg
Silver Spring |
| 656 | William J. Miller
Lititz, PA |
| 657 | William I. Stratemeyer
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Torrington, CT |
| 663 | William Lamm
Cumberland |
| 664 | Beth Lamm
Cumberland |

COMING EVENTS

-14 Feb: Salisbury Coin Club
Wicomico Civic Center, Civic &
Glen Aves, Salisbury, Maryland

6- 7 Mar: Interstate Coin
Club Spring Show, Venice Ball-
room, Route 40, East of Hagers-
town, Maryland

-14 Mar: Associated Coin
Club's Spring Show, Victory
Villa, Community Center, Martin
Blvd and Compass Road, Middle
River, Maryland

-11 Apr: Catonsville Coin
Club, Quality Inn, Towson, Md**

24-25 Apr: Western Maryland
Coin Club Spring Show, LaVale
Fire Hall, Route 40, LaVale,
Maryland

24-26 Jul: ANNUAL CONVENTION
AND COIN SHOW OF THE MARYLAND
STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION,
Inc., Towson State University's
Towson Center, Towson, MD

20-22 Aug: Middle Atlantic
Numismatic Association: Day's
Inn, Frederick, Maryland

4- 5 Sep: Interstate Coin
Club Fall Show, Venice Ballroom
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Society, Hanover, PA ***

13-14 Nov: Western Maryland
Coin Club's Fall Show, LaVale,
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4-5 Mar 95	2-3 Sep 95
2-3 Mar 96	-1 Sep 96

MANA

14-16 Oct 94	20-22 Oct 95
18-20 Oct 96	17-19 Oct 97

MSNA

17-19 Jun 94	16-18 Jun 95
21-23 Jun 96	20-22 Jun 97

PAUL FINCK

Jan 24	Feb 28	Mar 21
Apr 25	May 23	Jun 27
Jul 18	Aug 29	Sep 19
Oct 17	Nov 28	Dec 19

ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS

13 Mar 94	23 Oct 94
12 Mar 95	22 Oct 95
10 Mar 96	27 Oct 96

MSNA SEMINARS

6 Nov 94	5 Nov 95
3 Nov 96	2 Nov 97

***Denotes shows for which we
do not have complete details



The Christmas Party of the Associated Coin Clubs was well attended as evidenced above. Below: Santa Claus, in all his finery leads the dance.





Members of the Baltimore
Coin Club who attended
their annual Christmas
party watch

Adam Hunt and Nathaniel
Fick compete to see who
can move the most marsh-
mallows from the bowl to
the top of their heads,
while blindfolded.



To the right: Millard Hajek takes
the attendees of MSNA's Fall Semi-
nar on a trip down German Street
in Baltimore.





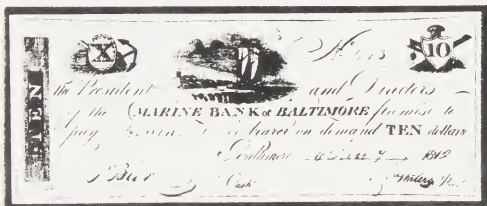
MSNA's Committee for the 1993 ANA Convention continue to meet with Ruthann. Some of those attending a meeting just prior to Christmas are shown.

A schedule of coming ANA Conventions are:

1994	Detroit, Michigan	(July 27 - Aug 1)
1995	Anaheim, California	
1996	Denver Colorado	
1997	New York, New York	
1998	Portland, Oregon	
1999	Chicago, Illinois	



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Contemporary circulating counterfeit of a \$10.00 note of the Marine Bank of Baltimore, circa 1810-1812. The central vignette shows a sailing vessel entering the "Basin" in the Baltimore Harbor, with the signal tower on what is now Federal Hill in the background.

The Marine Bank of Baltimore operated as an Association for a short time in the 1809-1810 period until its corporate charter was approved by the General Assembly of Maryland on December 23, 1810 (Chapter 66, Acts of 1810). Notes in denominations of \$5.00, \$10.00, \$20.00, \$50.00 and \$100.00 were initially issued, each generally similar in format to each note, but all showed some type of sailing vessel entering or leaving Baltimore's inner harbor. The Bank converted to and became The National Marine Bank of Baltimore in 1880 and ultimately, in 1954, was absorbed by the Fidelity-Baltimore National Bank & Trust Company.

None of the Bank's genuine original notes of this type are known to have survived. Thus, counterfeits such as the above provide us with our only accurate idea of the appearance of the original issues.

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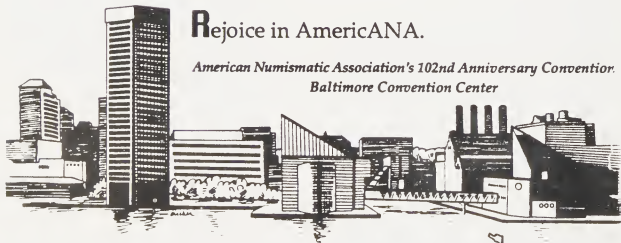
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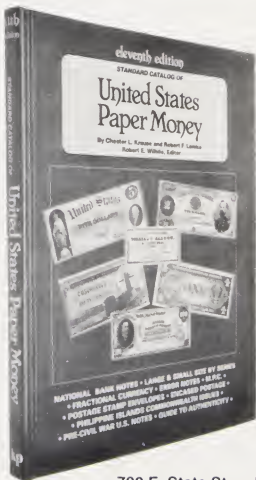
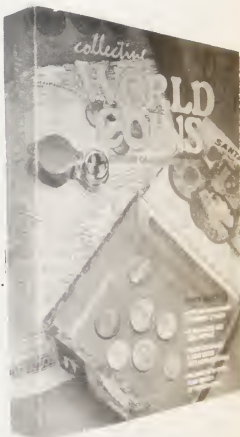
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The MSNA Board of Directors met at 2:00 pm on Sunday, April 18, 1993, at Grace United Methodist Church, Charles Street and Northern Parkway. In attendance were:

Jack Pryor - President
Bill Ayres - Vice President
Bryce Doxzon - Secretary
Bill Sacks - Treasurer
Pete Burris - Past President
Bobbie Vaughan - Past President

Convention set up at the Towson Center will be done on the evening of Friday, July 23rd, with a volunteer force. Tear down will happen on Monday, July 26th, once the show is closed. The earliest time the setup crew can start work on the 23rd is to be determined. Six foot tables will be needed for the L-table configurations on the bourse. Art Decorating Company will do the booth setup, as with last year's convention.

A contract is in place with the Towson Quality Inn for dealer lodging during the convention. The Sheraton, Towson, and Red Roof Inn are also likely locales for lodging if the need arises. No rooms have yet been held for educational forum speakers. Possible speaker candidates at this point are Krause Publication's Advertising Manager and any candidate for the ANA Board of Governors.

The speaker's banquet will be held the evening of July 24th. Pierce's Plantation is under consideration as a banquet site along with the Towson Center (using their catering service). The Towson Center service is already scheduled to do the awards breakfast.

Thirty one bourse tables have been reserved so far. Treasurer Sacks gave estimates of show finances based on possible table sales and read reports on the show accounts and expenses. Bill Sacks will send for Earl Blaisdell's mailing list to use when show fliers are sent out.

Advertising to be done includes ads in Coin World and Numismatic News in May, June and July. Advertising for the April, May and June issues of The Numismatist is already in place. The show listing in the Westex Calendar has been in place for some time.

There will be no auction at the MSNA convention however the show will be a site for viewing lots in the ANA convention auction to be held by Heritage Numismatic Auctions.

Four rooms are available for specialty club meetings. Maryland TAMS will hold a meeting at the MSNA convention if it cannot hold a meeting during the ANA convention. Such a scenario is likely for many specialty groups. Secretary Doxzon raised the possibility of publicizing the availability of meeting space to groups unable to get ANA convention meetings.

Given the range of YN activities available at the ANA convention none are planned for MSNA's.

Walt Kitner and Bobbie Vaughan are exhibit and registration chairperson, respectively. No raffle tickets chairman has been designated yet. The People's Choice exhibit award will be continued. Clubs will be solicited for registration desk help and convention patrons. The Maryland Numismatic Society's availability to man registration on one of the show days will be investigated.

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Minutes - April 18, 1993, Continued

Coin World and Numismatic News will be invited to set up booths at the show when advertising arrangements are made.

Convention wooden nickels are already on hand. Elongated cents are on order and souvenir cards will be ordered once a design is selected. Elongated silver quarters for the educational forum attendees will be rolled at convention time. Show ribbons will be procured by Bob Ruby.

The election committee of Burris, Vaughan and Ruby has two officers slots to fill for the next election. The new officers will take their positions at the first MSNA board meeting after the ANA convention.

The next meeting is scheduled for Sunday, June 6, at 2:00 pm at the Grace United Methodist Church.

Respectfully submitted

Bryce T. Doxzon

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Secretary, MSNA

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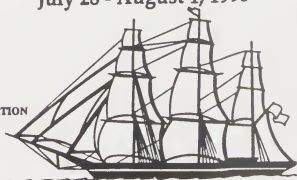
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FAREWELL TO JOHN B. HENRY



chines in Hancock, Maryland. This man had a collection of tokens which he was getting tired of. The agreement was made and John became a token collector. He then found a barber shop in Hagerstown, Maryland, where he was able to buy a number of large U. S. cents in top quality for 50¢ to \$1. each and he then became a coin collector also. He later moved to Millersville, near Annapolis, and added an antique shop to his collecting. He became a member of a number of local clubs, to include the Maryland Numismatic Society and the Baltimore Coin Club and during the 1950's served a term as the president of the B.C.C. He envisioned a group which could function as a central organization for local numismatics and by the early 1970's decided this should be a state wide group and then proceeded to travel through the state talking to club members, coin dealers and the collectors in general to gauge the possibility of forming such a group. In late 1971 he held a number of meeting in his home and enough progress was made that an organizational meeting was held at the Mount Calvary Episcopal Church, on North Eutaw Street, in Baltimore, Maryland, in February of 1972. Approximately 20 people representing 12 to 15 clubs met and by the end of that meeting there was definitely a state organization. John was elected President in mid 1972 and he held this office until he stepped down in 1974. He continued his very active support of the organization even after he and Trudy moved to Florida in 1977, at which time he added the clubs and collectors of that state to his sphere of interest. A very active student and collector of tokens of Maryland he was one of the foremost authorities on the subject for many years. His donation of a number of tokens of Maryland to the M S N A cabinet a number of years ago makes available to students a group of types not normally available in one location.

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Warren Morgan Hays - Centenarian
Jan. 6, 1893 - Jan. 6, 1993

Warren Morgan Hays, Centenarian, Coin Collector, Honorary Past President of the Baltimore Coin Club makes a surprise appearance Thursday, January 21, 1993. Marvin "Pete" Burris and grandson, Gordon Hunt, riding shotgun made arrangements with the Baptist Home of Md. and Del. to do this venture. Morgan gave the invocation and told a couple of jokes about the women at the home that everyone enjoyed. Plum and Jean Wiley set up lots in the auction for Morgan with more than half being sold. The rest of the evening was spent talking to the 35 members that attended, then Morgan was escorted home with out mishap.

OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB informs us Martin Johnson died during the Winter. Martin was one of the organizing members 55 years ago. The club's coin show, held on 24 and 25 April was well attended. A full complement of dealers was on hand to greet them.

The WMCC meets the 2nd Tuesday of each month at the South Cumberland library.

PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COIN CLUB has also lost a member: James I. Gore III, a past president of the club, died on 15 Feb. Club officers for 1993 are

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CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB members were treated to a slide presentation on Early American Coppers at their Feb. meeting by Greg Ruby. Greg also displayed a rye whiskey bottle which had morgan dollar imprints in the glass and also a rectangular metal plate with Morgan & Peace dollars imbedded in it (they speculate it may have been a chocolate candy mold). Their quarterly birthday drawing earned Steven Maltese a 1976 BU crown from the Isle of Man.

Bryce Doxzon had the opportunity to attend the Coin Debuté Ceremony for the new Madison/Bill of Rights commemorative coin at the National Archives Rotunda. Bryce also presented a Bill Clinton inaugural medal to Joe Fiedler for correctly completing Bryce's political quiz. Runners up were Phil Greenslet and Millard Hajek.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB members held their spring banquet at the Thompson's Sea Girt restaurant. Guest speaker of the evening, Dr. Charles Bozs, from the B&O Railroad museum, gave a slide presentation on the railroad.



Member, Harry Brooks died on February 7th. A very active participant in our annual conventions as well as Paul Finck's coin shows. He will be greatly

missed.

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MARYLAND TAMS held their winter meeting at the Baltimore County Historical Society location in the Old Alms House of Baltimore County. Prior to the meeting a number of members toured the facility. A number of rooms are set up in the per-

OUR MEMBER CLUBS

iod covered (kitchen, store, toy room, etc.). TAMS officers for 1993 are:

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Jim Boswell - Secretary
Ed Craig - Treasurer

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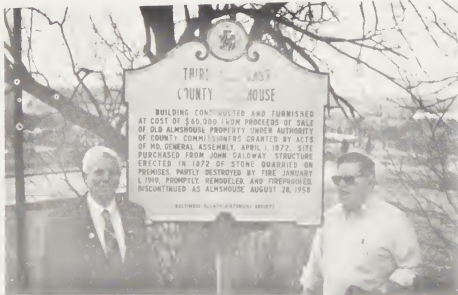
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Past President - Bryce Doxzon

Jim Beard, of Lexington, Virginia has assumed the presidency of the Virginia Numismatic Society.

President, Jim Harvey, moved to a new job in North Carolina and was unable to continue in the office.

The Catonsville Coin Club is still attempting to locate a site for their '93 show. To date - no luck.



Pete Burris and Bill Sacks beside the Historical marker located at the Baltimore County Alms House following the meeting of the Maryland TAMS.

FAREWELL TO JOHN B. HENRY

For his efforts on behalf of the hobby John B. was nominatted, and received, the Krause Publications Numismatic Ambassador Award in 1991.

John's departure from this life was not swift. He gradually moved into the mists of time and passed thru the veil on the 6th of April, 1993.

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EL PRESIDENTE MESSAGE



This is my last message as president of the Maryland State Numismatic Assoc. and I want to thank each of you for giving me a chance to serve in this office.

I am pleased our finances remained in a good enough position we have not had to increase our dues.

We still have work to do before my term ends; we need help to set up and work the MSNA Convention and show. If every member would help a little the results will be great. If every member would buy or sell \$5 in tickets on our raffle this would be a great success also.

We have the best pre-show dealer interest we have seen in the last several years. The show looks like it should be a vast success.

After the M S N A show we are the co-sponsors, along with the Baltimore Coin Club, of the 1993 ANA Convention and Show; this will be the busiest time in numismatics we have ever seen, or shall expect to see, in the State of Maryland. Let's make this a marvelous time for all.

Finally I would like to thank everyone of you, and especially Pete Burris, Bryce Doxzon, Bill Sacks, Bill Ayres, Jim Boswell & Ernie Turnes for making my term as president such a fun one.

You can't get rid of me this easy; I'll still be on the board for another 6 years.

A large, stylized handwritten signature in dark ink. The signature appears to read "John D. Black" followed by a flourish that includes the word "Pegor" and a circled "4".

COMING EVENTS

1994

24-26 Jul: ANNUAL CONVENTION
AND COIN SHOW OF THE MARYLAND
STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION,
Inc., Towson State University's
Towson Center, Towson, MD

20-22 Aug: Middle Atlantic
Numismatic Association: Day's
Inn, Frederick, Maryland

4- 5 Sep: Interstate Coin
Club Fall Show, Venice Ballroom
Route 40, East of Hagerstown

- 9 Oct: (note: this is a
Saturday show: Catonsville
Coin Club: Econolodge, Route
40 West. Exit I695 at exit 15
east. Proceed toward Baltimore
and the show will be on your
right; just across from West-
view Mall.

-17 Oct: Cambridge Coin Club
American Legion Hall, Route 50,
at the Choptank River Bridge,
Cambridge, Maryland

-24 Oct: Fall Show of the
Associated Coin Clubs, Victory
Villa Community Center, Middle
River, Maryland

-31 Oct: Baltimore Coin Club
Quality Inn, Towson, Maryland

6- 7 Nov: Hanover Numismatic
Society, Hanover, PA (Elk's)

13-14 Nov: Western Maryland
Coin Club's Fall Show, LaVale,
Maryland

-13 Feb: Salisbury Coin Cl
Wicomico Civic Center, Civic &
Glen Aves, Salisbury, MD

5- 6 Mar: Interstate Coin
Club Spring Show, Venice
Ballroom, Rt 40, East of
Hagerstown, Md

-13 Mar: Associated Coin
Club's Spring Show, Victory
Villa, Community Center, Martin
Blvd and Compass Road, Middle
River, Maryland

23-24 Apr: Western Maryland
Coin Club Spring Show, LaVale
Fire Hall, Route 40, LaVale,
Maryland

INTERSTATE COIN CLUB

5-6 Mar 94	3-4 Sep 94
4-5 Mar 95	2-3 Sep 95
2-3 Mar 96	-1 Sep 96

MANA

14-16 Oct 94	20-22 Oct 95
18-20 Oct 96	17-19 Oct 97

MSNA

17-19 Jun 94	16-18 Jun 95
21-23 Jun 96	20-22 Jun 97

PAUL FINCK

Aug 29	Sep 19	Oct 17
Nov 28	Dec 19	

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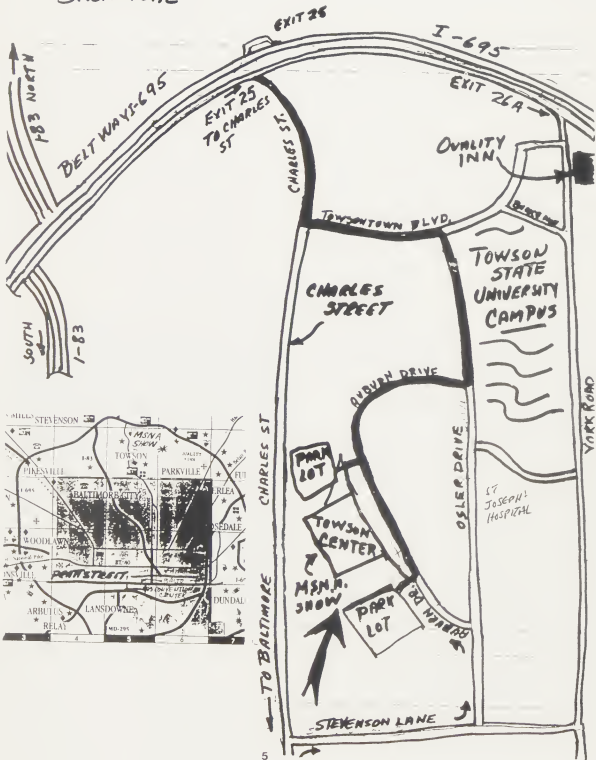
13 Mar 94	23 Oct 94
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10 Mar 96	27 Oct 96

MSNA SEMINARS

6 Nov 94	5 Nov 95
3 Nov 96	2 Nov 97

*** Dates shows for which we
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BALTIMORE



OUR ANNUAL

CONVENTION SCHEDULE

- Sat: June 24: 10:00 am: Show Opens to public
4:00 pm: Educational Program: followed by refreshments: Speakers Anthony Swiatek and Cliff Mishler.
7:00 pm: Bourse closes
- Sun: June 25: 9:00 am: Awards Breakfast: To be held in the exhibit hall upper level.
10:00 am: Show opens to public
2:00 pm: Annual meeting of the membership of the Maryland State Numis Assoc
7:00 pm: Bourse closes
- Mon: June 26: 10:00 am: Show opens to public
5:00 pm: Bourse closes

GUEST

CLIFFORD MISHLER, president of Krause Publications since 1991, 30 years working for Krause and 43 years of coin collecting. Everyone in the hobby is well aware of the Numismatic News and the wide range of support the paper provides to the hobby. The constant stream of other numismatic publications coming thru provides a ready source of information on virtually every facet of collecting. They were too late to invent the Red Book for the U.S. so the Krause-Mishler team did the next best thing & provided us with the Standard Catalog of World Coins, a book that does everything reasonable for the world coin collector. We hear Krause Publications and Numismatic News; when you turn the cover you find Cliff energetically assuring the latest most accurate information available is there for us. He's going to offer us some information on "WHY I'VE BEEN, AND WHAT I'VE GOTTEN OUT OF BEING A COLLECTOR FOR 43 YEARS".



CONVENTION

SHOW COMMENTS

The coins to be auctioned at the ANA Convention will be on display at our convention courtesy of HERITAGE NUMISMATIC AUCTIONS, Inc.

We offer our most sincere apologies for the lack of activities at the 1993 Convention. Our close proximity to the ANA Convention means that most of the activities will go there and not do both. Circumstances made these dates the only possible ones for us for the year.

What is lacking in quantity is certainly made up for by the quality of our speakers. Come to the Educational Program at 4:00 pm on Saturday hear a couple of outstanding presentations and participate in the refreshments. Door prizes will be drawn at regular intervals throughout the show and at the special events.

SPEAKERS



ANTHONY SWIATEK, Mr. Commem, will have as his topic "HOW TO MAKE GREEN (\$), WHEN THE MARKET HEAT ONCE AGAIN ENTERS THE NUMISMATIC SCENE."

A full time professional numismatist since 1977 he regularly produces a column for Coin World and has also written for COINage, Coins Magazine, Gary North's In-

vestment Coin Review, Scott's Standard U. S. Coin Catalogue and the list goes on and on. A recognized contemporary authority on silver and gold commemoratives he is the co-author of "The Encyclopedia of United States Silver and Gold Commemorative Coins 1892-1954" which received the Numismatic Literary Guild's Book of the Year Award in 1981. Items of discussion will be a) Selected underrated U.S. Commemorative Type coinage, ranging in value from \$90.00 and higher which possess excellent future potential: b) Issues that flaunted \$1600+ price tags, etc., during the last market high and sell for less than \$400 today! are they still tremendous buys?; and c) how slab population reports can be used as effective tools in acquiring the "right stuff" for future gains and d) some numismatic "diversion"!

OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB has located a site for their "93 show: see the calendar for 9 Oct. Mill Hajek presented the 2nd half of his "Token & Medal Tour of Baltimore" at the May meeting of the club. Members displayed an unusual set of items at their May meet: Frank Goss - an 1838 large cent (only 24 known), John Hammond a M S N A 1990 elongated on a 2¢ piece and Greg Ruby - a copy of "Silver and Gold Commemorative Coins", autographed by Breen and Swiatek.

Members of the BALTIMORE COIN CLUB were the guests of the Hanover Numismatic Society, Special speaker of the evening was Merle Hess, Ass't Secretary of the society who is shown below as he addressed the group. BCC members were also treated to Mill Hajek's "Token & Medal Tour of Baltimore" at their 2nd June meeting.



WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB reports a good crowd made an appearance at their April show. Their member Ruth V. T. Hammell who is well known to many of the membership of MSNA is confined to a nursing home in Cumberland. Her memory is failing badly.

From the Virginia Numismatic Association we learn that our old friend, Jesse Martin, has moved to Philipsburg, PA. We are advised that their 1993 Convention & Show will be held Sep 10 - 12 at the Tysons Westpark Hotel, 8401 Westpark Drive, McLean, VA.

The Associated Coin Clubs spring show, which was snowed out in March, was held June 13th. It was not one of the groups better shows. Nice weather really puts a damper on show attendance.

National Coin Week for 1994 will be April 17 thru 23. Slogan will be "Coins, the World's Best Treasurer Hunt."



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- 665 Ernie Turnes -
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 - 666 Earl Leonhardt -
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I also wish to offer my apologies to member No. 655 whose name is actually
David Doernberg



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Summer has passed and what an outstanding one it was. Our annual convention did not follow our normal pattern nor did we expect it to. With the ANA beginning immediately after we finished ours there was a different aura about the entire weekend. Granted there were reasons but to see so much activity on the floor of our show on a monday, of all days, was most unusual.



I can't begin to thank the many members of the group who came out to help us set up, man the doors and tear down at the completion of our show. To see so much activity on the parts of so many was most gratifying.

The A N A Convention was another outstanding event. Attendance was heavy. According to who is telling the story it was the second or fourth largest ever (and Baltimore 1985 is one of those greater) and that despite the fact that the hobby in general seems to be slipping. ANA also saw another landside of volunteers ready to support the hobby.

And now 1993 is wrapping up so far as coin events are concerned. What to do for an encore! for openers we are going to hold our 1994 convention in the Convention Center. This will be a first for a local organization -- to date only the ANA has done this. At this time we anticipate active support from the A N A itself; what a show this promises to be.

Another exciting happening in numismatics is even now beginning in West Baltimore. Greg Ruby is in the process of putting together a new association of clubs with the purpose of putting on shows. If this works it may well simplify the process of club shows.

Let's all get together and try to have some fun in the hobby during the coming year.

Bill

OUR MEMBER CLUBS REPORT

CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB: the end of an era; the closing of the Towson Quality Inn found the Catonsville Club looking for a new show location. They found a new one at the Econolodge, Rt 40, east of exit 15 of I 695. Vice President Joe Fiedler is working on a location for their annual dinner meeting. The "Coin World Trivia" contest between the CCC and the Baltimore Coin Club, in July had to be postponed. A power outage made the meeting an impossibility; everyone was there but!!!

Bryce Doxzon was the winner of the MANA's Kaptik Award. He was named Numismatist of the Year by the Catonsville Coin Club (& also the Baltimore CC)

BELMAR COIN CLUB has had a hectic time with meeting locations. The library decided it was not appropriate to have an auction on their premises so the club moved to the Bel Air American Legion. The lack of privacy there allowed outside noise to disrupt their meeting to a serious degree. Starting with their October meeting they will be at the Harford Vo Tech High School cafeteria on Thomas Run Road near Churchville.

WESTERN MARYLAND COIN CLUB feel their spring show was better attended than some of those of the recent past. They celebrated their annual "Indoor Picnic" in August at the South Cumberland Library. Their anniversary dinner has been postponed. This was to be the celebration of their 55th anniversary. Their fall show is scheduled for the 13th and 14th of November.

Their treasurer of many years Al Helmick, died on 1 October. An active member of the club he will be sorely missed.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB, caught up in the problem of a show location, has made a last minute decision to hold their show at the Econolodge in west Baltimore where Catonsville Club has led the way. Their summer crab feast/picnic at the Double Rock Park was enjoyed by all.

The HARFORD COIN HUSKERS also held their picnic/crab feast this summer. As it has for the last few years, the club met at the home of member, Chris Vincent, at Fork. Crabs, horse-shoes, badminton, fresh corn, hamburgers, etc were enjoyed by all.

B.A.N.C.: are these the letters of the numismatic future in the Baltimore area? The many problems encountered in the putting on of coin shows has caused Greg Ruby to put on his thinking cap & one of the things he has given thought to is the formation of a group to put on shows for the clubs, similar to the operation of the Associated Coin Clubs in the northeast side of the city.

SOME OTHER ITEMS FROM OUR MEMBERS & OUR CLUBS

THE BALTIMORE COIN CLUB has enjoyed several interesting presentations at recent meetings:

William Stratemeyer presented U. S. Paper Money and James Boswell Picker's Checks at the August meetings.

At the September meetings William Sacks told about "A Russian Transportation Token" and Willard R. Mumford spoke on "John B. Henry, Friend and Originator of the concept which resulted in our state organization.

For our first meeting in Oct Pete Burris presented a video on the ANA Convention of '93.

Baltimore Coin Club programs outstanding speakers for each meeting. Anyone who would like to attend is welcome.

Future speakers will cover topics such as: Oak Island; fractional currency; political buttons; confederate currency, etc.

If you need instructions on how to get there call me (Bill Ayres) at 592-2303.

MSNA, for 1994, will hold their convention at the Convention Center. It looks as if the ANA will definitely be working with us on this event. The next, and it should be the decisive meeting is scheduled for 10 Nov. Now is the time for you to begin to get involved. There is a place for every one.



ALBERT HELMICK

June 9, 1925 to Oct 1, 1993. A very long time member & officer of the Western Maryland Coin Club. A retired Vice President of one bank and manager of another it was only natural he should serve as the club's treasurer for many years. We of the board of the M S N A had occasion to talk with Al on our visits to the club and it's shows. We know he will be sorely missed.

A reminder to our member clubs Your bulletins tell us what you plan to do however no one ever tells us if you did. We can't report things unless we know they happen.

The CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB show location seems to be a very comfortable one. A little small and needs more collector participation but hopefully that will come; it's up to you.

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-13 Feb: Salisbury Coin Club
Wicomico Civic Center; Civic &
Glen Aves, Salisbury ***

5- 6 Mar: Interstate Coin Cl
Spring Show; Venice Ballroom,
Route 40, East of Hagerstown

-13 Mar: Associated Coin
Clubs Spring Show, Victory
Villa Community Center, Martin
Bvld and Compass Road, Middle
River

23-24 Apr: Western Maryland
Coin Club Spring Show, LaVale
Fire Hall, Route 40, LaVale

25-27 Jun: Annual Convention
& Show of the MSNA, Convention
Center, Baltimore

4- 5 Sep: Interstate Coin Cl
Fall Show, Venice Ballroom,
Route 40, East of Hagerstown

-16 Oct: Cambridge Coin Club
American Legion Hall, Route 50,
at the Choptank River Bridge,

-23 Oct: Associated Coin
Clubs Fall Show, Victory
Villa Community Center, Martin
Bvld and Compass Road, Middle
River

5- 6 Nov: Hanover Numismatic
Society, Hanover, PA ***

12-13 Nov: Western Maryland
Coin Club Fall show, LaVale
Fire Hall, Route 40, LaVale

INTERSTATE COIN CLUB

4-5 Mar 95	2-3 Sep 95
2-3 Mar 96	A31-1 Sep 96
1-2 Mar 97	6-7 Sep 97

MSNA

16-18 Jun 95	21-23 Jun 96
20-22 Jun 97	19-21 Jun 98

ASSOCIATED COIN CLUBS

12 Mar 95	22 Oct 95
10 Mar 96	27 Oct 96
9 Mar 97	26 Oct 97

MSNA SEMINARS

5 Nov 95	3 Nov 96
2 Nov 97	1 Nov 98

***Denotes clubs for which we
do not have complete details.

PAUL FINCK

Jan 23	Feb 27	Mar 27
Apr None	May 29	Jun 19
Jul 24	Aug 28	Sep 25
Oct 16	Nov 20	Dec 18

We do not have dates, at this
time for the Baltimore Coin
Club, The Catonsville Coin
Club or the MANA shows.

ANA CONVENTIONS

1994- Detroit, Michigan
1995- Anaheim, California
1996- Denver, Colorado
1997- New York, NY
1998- Portland, Oregon
1999- Chicago, Illinois

Paul Finck's shows for 1995
(& for Dec 19, '94) will be
held at the Holiday Inn, at
Towson, the same location he
used a number of years ago.

OUR EXHIBITORS

BEST OF SHOW

and

MILLARD W. HAJEK BEST OF
EXONUMIA

Greg Ruby: A Selection of
Medallic Art of Hans Schuler

MASTER AWARD

Herb Hall: Commemorative
Gold Coins of Canada

SUPERIOR AWARD

Bobbie Vaughan: A Selection
of U.S. Gold Type Coins

APPRECIATION AWARD

and

PEOPLE'S CHOICE

Pete Burris: George Washington
1900 Century Medals

APPRECIATION AWARDS

Bryce Doxzon: Dickey Mill
Centennial Medal

Alan Bricker: Bronze Papal
Medals of the Vatican

HENRY WESTPHAL MEMBERSHIP

AWARD to Bill Sacks

JOHN B. HENRY CLUB MEMBER
SHIP AWARD to HARFORD COIN
HUSKERS



Above: Pete Burris, Show
Chairman presents Greg Ruby
with the Best of Show
plaque.

Below: Exhibits Chairman
Walt Kitner presents the
People's Choice plaque to
Pete.



ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICERS AND
MEMBERS OF THE MARYLAND STATE
NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION I would
like to render our appreciation
for the efforts of the follow-
ing for our very successful
1993 Convention:

BOBBIE VAUGHAN
ERNIE TURNES
JACK PRYOR
BILL STRATEMEYER
JOE MASHINSKI
MILLARD HAJEK
DOT HAJEK
BRYCE DOXZON
JOE ADAM
WALT KITNER
GREG RUBY
JIM BOSWELL
CHRIS VINCENT
BILL LENZ
GORDON HUNT
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MARGE AYRES
RUSSEL AYRES
KAREN AYRES
DENWOOD KELLY
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ANDY RIKAS
LINA BOWEN
CLARENCE SCHMITT
ED DEWATERS
ANDY BULLERI
MARK BULLERI
DON MCKINSTRY

AND FOR THE OUTSTANDING ORGANIZ-
ATIONAL SUPPORT WE RECEIVED, WE
THANK THE FOLLOWING MEMBER CLUBS:

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB
CATONSVILLE COIN CLUB
HARFORD COIN HUSKERS
BELMAR COIN CLUB
COLONIAL COIN CLUB
MARYLAND TOKEN & MEDAL SOCIETY
PERRY HALL COIN CLUB

This was an unusual show in many
respects and had a lot of new
problems and happenings to show
us. We were somewhat overshadowed
by the ANA presence the follow-
ing week, however we still were
able to put on a class show. I
am also happy to report that our
financial return was apparently
the highest ever which was a bit
of help when we considered our
location for next year.

Bill



WELCOME TO MEMBERSHIP

667 Robert Bolduc - Columbia

668 Lester White - Maryland
Token & Medal Society

On the following page is a copy
of the souvenir sheet for 1993.
These feature a 6 1/4¢ Hard Times
Script of 1837. The original
was furnished by Denwood Kelly
for reproduction. They are
available for \$3 each or 2 for
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This attractive and rare piece of "Hard Times" scrip was issued by McLaughlin and Stannard, proprietors of the Baltimore City Hotel from mid-1837 until early 1842. Dated June 1st, 1837, the 6 1/4 cent note was printed from a plate engraved by John S. Horton who was active in Baltimore from 1835 through 1845. The vignette depicts the front of the hotel, which was located on the southwest corner of Calvert and Fayette Streets, with the Battle Monument at the center of the intersection of the two streets. Such views are seldom encountered on merchants' scrip of the period. The proprietors went a step further in an attempt to increase the hotel's bar business by providing for its receipt in payment for mint "Julaps."

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Above: The registration booth is manned by Joe Mashinski, Lina Bowen, Ernie Turnes, Bill Stratemeyer and Bobbie Vaughan.

Below left: John Eshback addresses the attendees at the awards breakfast on the subject of coin glass. He also had slides and pieces of genuine glass for examination.

Below right: Bill Stratemeyer, Vice President of the Baltimore Coin Club rolls his own penny as Ray Dillard looks on.





Above left: Greg Ruby receives the Millard W. Hajek Best of Exonumia Award from Millard Hajek.

Above right: Herb Hall receives his Master Award from Show Chairman, Pete Burris.

Below left: Bobbie Vaughan receives the Superior Award from Pete.

Below right: Pete and Bryce Doxzon with their Appreciation Awards.





MEMBERS AND GUESTS OF THE MSNA AT THE ANNUAL
BANQUET FOR SPEAKERS & SPECIAL
GUESTS





ABOVE: The officers elected at the annual meeting for the coming year: left to right: Ernie Turnes - Vice President; Bill Ayres - President; Bill Sacks - Treasurer and Bryce Doxzon - Secretary.

BELOW: Outgoing President; Jack Pryor; surveys the material on the Krause Publications display.



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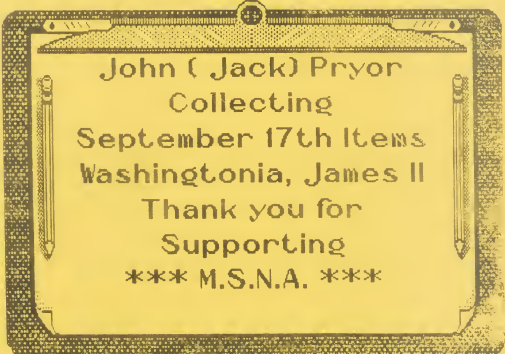
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